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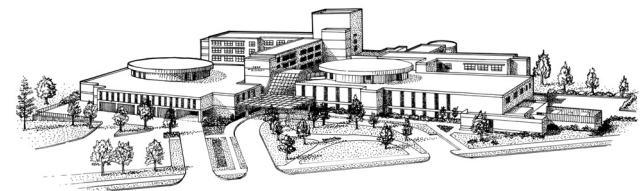
**There is a better
way.....**



HOW CAN I LEARN MORE?

To obtain more information about AHLTA and your new electronic medical record, contact a member of your primary care manager team or go to:
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Wright-Patterson Medical Center



AHLTA

...New
...Electronic

**A vastly improved medical
record documentation
system**

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What's changing?

- Beginning 8 May, 2006, WPMC will implement AHLTA, the DoD's electronic medical record.
- The transition from paper to a computerized record will take approximately 4 months.
- Full implementation will be on-going over the next year.



Why the change?

- AHLTA is a world-wide DoD initiative.
- Electronic medical records will now be available 24 hours a day. Worldwide.
- It will improve continuity of care, date accuracy, legibility and documentation.

Key Questions

1. What information does AHLTA track?

A complete electronic copy of your medical information to include:

- Health History
- Medications
- Laboratory results
- Radiology reports
- Allergies
- Immunizations
- Specialty consultations
- Preventive health plan

2. Is my information safe?

Yes. AHLTA incorporates industry "gold standard" security technology.

3. What can I expect during the implementation period?

Our staff members require several hours of instruction and on-the-job training to become proficient using AHLTA. You may experience a slight delay getting an appointment and, possibly, a slow down during your appointment. During this period, we will make sure the care you need is available.

4. What will happen with my paper record?

Your paper record will remain. However, over time, its use will diminish.

HOW DOES THIS BENEFIT ME?

- Medical information will be more readily available to healthcare professionals who need it.
- Records data will be available 24/7, whenever, wherever needed.
- There will be less lost records
- Documentation accuracy will improve.
- Improved accuracy in filing medical results
- Improved availability of complete health history